

Fill in this information to identify the case:

Debtor 1 Tri-State Paper, Inc.

Debtor 2  
(Spouse, if filing) \_\_\_\_\_

United States Bankruptcy Court for the: Eastern District of Pennsylvania ☐

Case number 23-13237-pmm

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Official Form 410

Proof of Claim

Read the instructions before filling out this form. This form is for making a claim for payment in a bankruptcy case. Do not use this form to make a request for payment of an administrative expense. Make such a request according to 11 U.S.C. § 503.

Filers must leave out or redact information that is entitled to privacy on this form or on any attached documents. Attach redacted copies of any documents that support the claim, such as promissory notes, purchase orders, invoices, itemized statements of running accounts, contracts, judgments, mortgages, and security agreements. Do not send original documents; they may be destroyed after scanning. If the documents are not available, explain in an attachment.

A person who files a fraudulent claim could be fined up to \$500,000, imprisoned for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 157, and 3571.

Fill in all the information about the claim as of the date the case was filed. That date is on the notice of bankruptcy (Form 309) that you received.

Part 1: Identify the Claim

1. Who is the current creditor?	<u>Placon Corporation</u> Name of the current creditor (the person or entity to be paid for this claim)  Other names the creditor used with the debtor _____	
2. Has this claim been acquired from someone else?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. From whom? _____	
3. Where should notices and payments to the creditor be sent?	Where should notices to the creditor be sent?	Where should payments to the creditor be sent? (if different)
Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure (FRBP) 2002(g)	<u>Placon Corporation</u> Name <u>6096 McKee Rd</u> Number Street <u>Madison</u> <u>WI</u> <u>53719</u> City State ZIP Code  Contact phone <u>6082784421</u> Contact email <u>wstrigel@placon.com</u>  Uniform claim identifier for electronic payments in chapter 13 (if you use one): _____	<u>Placon Corporation</u> Name <u>6096 McKee Rd</u> Number Street <u>Madison</u> <u>WI</u> <u>53719</u> City State ZIP Code  Contact phone <u>6082784421</u> Contact email <u>wstrigel@placon.com</u>
4. Does this claim amend one already filed?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Claim number on court claims registry (if known) _____ Filed on _____ MM / DD / YYYY	
5. Do you know if anyone else has filed a proof of claim for this claim?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Who made the earlier filing? _____	

**Part 2: Give Information About the Claim as of the Date the Case Was Filed**

6. Do you have any number you use to identify the debtor?	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes. Last 4 digits of the debtor's account or any number you use to identify the debtor: <u>2 2 5 3</u>
7. How much is the claim?	\$ <u>9,241.50</u> . Does this amount include interest or other charges? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Attach statement itemizing interest, fees, expenses, or other charges required by Bankruptcy Rule 3001(c)(2)(A).
8. What is the basis of the claim?	Examples: Goods sold, money loaned, lease, services performed, personal injury or wrongful death, or credit card. Attach redacted copies of any documents supporting the claim required by Bankruptcy Rule 3001(c). Limit disclosing information that is entitled to privacy, such as health care information.  <u>Goods Sold</u>
9. Is all or part of the claim secured?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. The claim is secured by a lien on property.  Nature of property: <input type="checkbox"/> Real estate. If the claim is secured by the debtor's principal residence, file a <i>Mortgage Proof of Claim Attachment</i> (Official Form 410-A) with this <i>Proof of Claim</i> . <input type="checkbox"/> Motor vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Describe: _____  Basis for perfection: _____ Attach redacted copies of documents, if any, that show evidence of perfection of a security interest (for example, a mortgage, lien, certificate of title, financing statement, or other document that shows the lien has been filed or recorded.)  Value of property: \$ _____ Amount of the claim that is secured: \$ _____ Amount of the claim that is unsecured: \$ _____ (The sum of the secured and unsecured amounts should match the amount in line 7.)  Amount necessary to cure any default as of the date of the petition: \$ _____  Annual Interest Rate (when case was filed) _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed <input type="checkbox"/> Variable
10. Is this claim based on a lease?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Amount necessary to cure any default as of the date of the petition. \$ _____
11. Is this claim subject to a right of setoff?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Identify the property: _____

12. Is all or part of the claim entitled to priority under 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)?

☒ No

☐ Yes. Check one:

Amount entitled to priority

A claim may be partly priority and partly nonpriority. For example, in some categories, the law limits the amount entitled to priority.

☐ Domestic support obligations (including alimony and child support) under 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(1)(A) or (a)(1)(B).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Up to \$3,350\* of deposits toward purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(7).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Wages, salaries, or commissions (up to \$15,150\*) earned within 180 days before the bankruptcy petition is filed or the debtor's business ends, whichever is earlier. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Taxes or penalties owed to governmental units. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(8).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Contributions to an employee benefit plan. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(5).

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other. Specify subsection of 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)( ) that applies.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\* Amounts are subject to adjustment on 4/01/25 and every 3 years after that for cases begun on or after the date of adjustment.

Part 3: Sign Below

The person completing this proof of claim must sign and date it. FRBP 9011(b).

If you file this claim electronically, FRBP 5005(a)(2) authorizes courts to establish local rules specifying what a signature is.

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Check the appropriate box:

☐ I am the creditor.

☒ I am the creditor's attorney or authorized agent.

☐ I am the trustee, or the debtor, or their authorized agent. Bankruptcy Rule 3004.

☐ I am a guarantor, surety, endorser, or other codebtor. Bankruptcy Rule 3005.

I understand that an authorized signature on this *Proof of Claim* serves as an acknowledgment that when calculating the amount of the claim, the creditor gave the debtor credit for any payments received toward the debt.

I have examined the information in this *Proof of Claim* and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on date 01/03/2024  
MM / DD / YYYY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Print the name of the person who is completing and signing this claim:

Name William Strigel  
First name Middle name Last name

Title Accounting Manager

Company Placon Corporation  
Identify the corporate servicer as the company if the authorized agent is a servicer.

Address 6096 McKee Rd  
Number Street  
Madison WI 53719  
City State ZIP Code

Contact phone 6082784421 Email wstrigel@placon.com



Customer Number		2253	
Invoice Number		520290	
Customer PO Number	Sales Order Number	Invoice Date	Page Number
402906	414552	18-SEP-23	1
Transaction Type		Placon Regular Invoice	

Bill To: 5043-TRI-STATE PAPER CO INC  
149 EAST CHURCH STREET  
BLACKWOOD NJ 08012  
United States

Ship To: 13281-TRI-STATE PAPER CO INC  
4500 N 3RD ST  
PHILADELPHIA PA 19140  
United States

Fax Number

Sales Person Name: End Market Concepts, Inc.

Ship Via: Dye Star

Freight Terms: Prepaid

Comments:

Line #	Ship Seq	BOL # Packing Slip	Item Number	Description	Sell UOM	Order Qty	Price UOM	Shipped Qty	Unit Price	Extended Price
0001	1	23009147 296202	179068	V08/1532 PP C/C 240PK	CS	56	CS	56	23.50000	1,316.00
0002	1	23009147 296202	179067	V16/1532 PP C/C 240PK	CS	32	CS	32	38.00000	1,216.00
0003	1	23009147 296202	VLID040002	VLID LLDPE N 500PK	CS	40	CS	40	33.00000	1,320.00
0004	1	23009147 296202	UTRL040002	UTRLID LLDPE N 500PK	CS	48	CS	48	50.00000	2,400.00
0005	1	23009147 296202	V320000002	V32 PP C 500PK	CS	15	CS	15	63.00000	945.00
0006	1	23009147 296202	1532040002	CL1532 LLDPE N 500PK	CS	25	CS	25	33.42000	835.50
0007	1	23009147 296202	V800000002	V08 PP C 500PK	CS	15	CS	15	23.00000	345.00
0008	1	23009147 296202	V160000002	V16 PP C 500PK	CS	32	CS	32	27.00000	864.00

Payment Terms:	Before 30 Days	
If Paid By Date:	18-SEP-23	
Discounted Amount:	USD	9,241.50

Remit To:  
PLACON CORPORATION  
Lockbox Drawer 754  
Milwaukee , WI 53278-0754

Freight:	USD	0
Tax:	USD	0
Amount Due:	USD	9,241.50
Due Date:	18-OCT-23	